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(MBHB Case No. 00-1070) (3COM Case No. 3241.CS.US.P)

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|           | Serial No.:    | 09/767,048   | ) Examiner: Andrew W ) | . Wahba       |
|           |                |  | ) Group Art Unit: 2661 |               |
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# REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION PURSUANT TO U.S.C. § 255 and 37 C.F.R. § 1.323

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This is a request for issuance of the accompanying Certificate of Correction pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 255 and 37 C.F.R. §1.323. The Assignee of Record, 3COM Corporation, seeks to correct a mistake of a clerical, typographical nature and of minor character in the above-identified Patent. The correction is as follows:

On the title page, at item (75), please change the spelling of the inventor name Sanil Kumar Puthiyandiyil to Sanil Kumar Puthiyandyil.

The Assignee respectfully submits that the requested correction does not constitute new matter, nor does it require substantive examination of the file.

Enclosed is a complete Certificate of Correction for U.S. Patent No. 6,917,592 issued July 12, 2005, and (ii) the fee required under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.20(a) and 1.323.

Consideration of this Request and issuance of the Certificate of Correction are respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

Bradley J. Hulbert

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It is certified that an error appears or errors appear in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

On the title page, at Item (75), Change the spelling of the inventor name Sanil Kumar Puthiyandiyil to Sanil Kumar Puthiyandyil.

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